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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of Wolfgang Coronel, et al.

For FEMALE ENGAGING SURFACE

> FASTENER HAVING A BACKING AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME

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AMENDMENT

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 17, 2003, please amend the aboveidentified application as set forth below:

CLAIM AMENDMENTS begin on page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS begin on page 5 of this paper.